





IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

M. Lal

Attorney Docket No.: SNUS121479

Application No.: 10/622,007

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

A. Response Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Non-Final Office Action in the above-identified application. No additional claim fee is required.

Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment B.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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Seattle, Washington 98101

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed March 14, 2003, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.